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Mary FARIS et al.

Art Unit: 1642

Application No.: 09/809,638

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For: 12SP5C8: A TISSUE SPECIFIC PROTEIN
HIGHLY EXPRESSED IN VARIOUS
CANCERS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated February 16, 2005, for which a response is due on May 16, 2005. This response is filed within two months of the issuance of the final Office Action, April 16th being a Saturday, and therefore qualifies for expedited review. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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